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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

United States of America,

Plaintiff,

vs.

James B. Panther,

Defendant.

NO. CR-19-00448-PHX-DLR-2

DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO CONTINUE SENTENCING HEARING

Defendant, James Panther, hereby respectfully requests a 90-day continuance of the sentencing hearing currently set for Tuesday, March 29, 2022 at 11:00 a.m. to provide additional time necessary for preparation for the hearing. Undersigned counsel has communicated with Deborah Brittain Shaw, counsel for the government, regarding this request. Ms. Shaw is in agreement and does not oppose this request for a continuance.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 9th day of February, 2022.

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